

REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application are requested.

By way of the amendments above, the subject matter of claim 7 has been incorporated into claim 1. Claim 7 has therefore been canceled as redundant. The claim set being presented above also includes the correct status identifiers for claims 11 and 12 as helpfully noted by the Examiner.

Claims 1-5 and 8-12 remain pending herein following entry of this amendment.

In view of the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter being defined by claim 7 subject to its presentation in independent format as stated in numbered paragraph 8 on page 7 of the Official Action dated September 11, 2007, it is believed that all issues regarding this application have been resolved. Accordingly entry of the amendments presented above and allowance of this application are in order.

Early receipt of the Official Allowance Notice is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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